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O P E DOCKET NO. P05802 (NATI15-05802) Costomer No. 23990

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Hung K. Cheung, et al.

Serial No.

10/781,560

Filed

February 18, 2004

For

MINIMUM GATE DELAY EDGE COUNTER

Group No.

2816

Examiner

Cassandra F. Cox

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed January 25, 2006. The response period is presently set to expire on April 25, 2006, and if this Petition for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be May 25, 2006.

A check in the amount of \$320.00 is enclosed for one additional independent claims fee (\$200.00) and one (1) month extension fee (\$120.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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Respectfully submitted,

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